ceeded to Chicago by train, arriving at 6:30 to-night. He left at a late hour for the

#### THE CHAMPION'S WHEREABOUTS. Mr. Sullivan Quietly Resting in Chicago and

Drinking Sour Mashes. CHICAO July 14 .- 1 A. M .- John L. Sullivan is still in Chicago, with no apparent intention of hurrying out of the city. When the clock struck the hour named, champion of the world was lifting a whisky sour to his lips in a Dearborn-street saloon, and conversing genially with a few friends. He was quite sober. Mr. Sullivan said he simply desired to be let alone that he might take a few days' rest here. He did not understand Governor Lowry's tactics, he said. Mr. Sullivan added that the proper time for interference, if any were seriously intended, was before the fight began, or while it was in progress, not after the war

Looking For Him in New York. CHICAGO, July 13 .- Prize-fighter Sullivan, it is understood, has started for New York. He managed to give the reporters the slip last night. It was supposed he would go over the Grand Trunk railway in order to minimize his chances of arrest. Late last night it was positively stated that he left at 9 o'clock on a Michigan Central train. This morning it was given out that he drove with a friend or two to South Chicago, and there boarded an out-going B. & O.

A New York dispatch says: diligent search failed to reveal the arrival or whereabouts of John L. Sullivan in this city to-night. At the Vanderbilt Hotel, where his baggage had ar-rived early in the day, his presence was denied at a late hour. Charley Johnson was also sought and not found, although it was said at his Brooklyn saloon that he was expected to-night. Among those who called for Sullivan at the Vanderbilt were Wm. Muldoon, Mike Cleary and other well-known sports.

What Governor Lowry Intends to Do. Jackson, Miss., July 13.-Arrangements for the prosecution of all persons and corporations connected in any way with the late Sullivan-Kilrain fight are progressing. Sheriff Cowart, who witnessed the fight, and Mr. Rich, of Richburg, are likely to be indicted, as well as other New Orleans parties. The Governor will eventually get the principals and their gang together, or at least a part of them. The Queen & Crescent is beginning to show fight, but the Governor says they will rue the day when they took legal advisers and became parties to the late slugging match in Mississippi.

A Cane and a Bible for Kilrain. BALTIMORE, July 13 .- Mrs. Kilrain, wife of the pugilist, received to-day by express the goldheaded cane which Colonel Andrews, of California, decided some time ago to give to the man defeated in the Sullivan-Kilrain fight. Another gifthwas a fine, large family Bible with passages marked for Kilrain's edification. It is thought a clergyman is the giver. On the fly-leaf is written: "To lead you to a better life."

# THE FIRE RECORD.

The Absence of Adequate Fire Protection Causes a Large Loss at Edinburg. Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

EDINBURG, Ind., July 13.-Lack of any proper protection against fire is responsible for a heavy loss which occurred here early this morning. A fire, which started at 12:30 A. M., in Clancy & Hartman's stables, burned over about half square of the town resulted in a loss estimated at upwards of \$40,000, on which there is little insurance. The property destroyed includes the feed and sale stable of Clancy & Hartman, E. E. White's livery stable. D. B. Nickey's shoe shop, Frank Winterbury's ice-house, and John Wade's saloon. Clancy & Hartman's loss includes, besides their building, which was insured for \$1,400, most of the stock owned by them, such as buggies and carriages, a hearse and four head of horses. A fine horse belonging to G. E. Mayfield, and valued at \$2,000, is included in the loss. The horses and other livery stock in White's stable were saved, and his loss is understood to be covered by insurance. It is thought that but for the heavy rain which occurred a few hours previous to the fire the entire business part of the town would have been consumed.

Distillery Partially Destroyed. FREEPORT, Pa., July 13.-Fire broke out in Guckenheimer & Bro.'s No. 8 distillery, at Benter Junction, at 7 o'clock to-night, totally destroying the building and contents. The cause of the fire is unknown. Attention was turned to saving the bonded warehouses adjoining, in which were stored 12,000 barrels of whisky. The intense beat penetrated the iron doors and shutters, igniting the window and door frames on the inside of the building. The firemen attached a line of hose to a West Pennsylvania railroad engine, and, assisted by a bucket brigade, the fire was got under control in half an hour. The loss is estimated at \$40,000; fully insured. The owners will rebuild at once. A large quantity of grain and twenty barrels of whisky not yet bonded were destroyed with the distillery build-

LANCASTER, July 13.-A fire which broke out at midnight last night in the large manufacturing building on East Chestnut street, was very destructive. Following are the losers: Osborne & Co., umbrella and parasol manufacturers, loss, \$25,000; insurance, \$10,000. D. H. Kulp, ventilating fans, loss, \$12,500; insurance, \$4,000. C. Rote, iron fencing and owner of building, oss, \$11,000; insurance, \$5,000. James C. Leman, brass foundry, loss, \$800; insurance, \$1,500. Martin's tobacco warehouse adjoining was damaged by smoke and water. Skiles & Frye, leaf tobacco dealers, have \$75,000 worth of tobacco stored there, which is insured for \$52,500, and E. M. Cohn & Co., tocacco dealers. 31,000 worth of tobacco on hand; insured for

Heavy Loss at Lancaster, Pa.

# MARINE NEWS.

Wreck of a South American Steamship and Loss of Three Officers and Eight Men.

\$15,000. The tobacco is badly damaged, but it is impossible at present to state the exact loss.

PANAMA, July 13 .- On April 8 the steamship Rapel, belonging to the Compania Sud Americana de Varpoos, left Valparaiso. calling at Talcahuno, for Montevideo and Buenos Ayers. A telegram has been received from Castro announcing the loss of the vessel and eleven of her crew. According to the telegram the Rapel struck on the rocks at Socorroco islands, on the 28th, at 8 P. M., and went down immediately. Among the lost are W. McLaughlin, chief engineer; R. Elliot, purser; R. Schneider, second officer, and eight of the firemen and crew. Captain Carnap, the chief officer, second engineer and three of the crew have arrived at Castro.

Steamship Arrivals.

HAMBURG, July 13 .- Arrived: Suevia, from LONDON, July 13.-Off Scilly: Hammonia, from New York, for Hamburg. QUEENSTOWN, July 13 .- Arrived: Umbria, from

New York, for Liverpool. NEW YORK, July 13.—Arrived: Celtic and City of Chicago, from Liverpool; State of Nebraska, from Glasgow; Moravia, from Hamburg.

Death of a Reformed Gambler. CINCINNATI, July 13 .- Bolly Lewis died at London, O., to-day, aged sixty-seven. He was somewhat famous twenty years ago as proprie-tor of a gambling house in Cincinnati, but he gave up that life and became quite popular as a hotel proprietor here, at Chautuaqua and in

# Three Self-Murders.

NEW YORK, July 13.-Three suicides occurred here to-day. Two were by rope and one by poison. Miss Dane, a type-writer from Toronto, took carbolic acid. She had been here three months, and soon would have become a mother. Ellen E. Malloney, an aged spinster, hanged her-self from a hook in the ceiling. She was deranged. Henry Loose, a tailor, hung himself from the top of a door. He left papers directing that \$350 be given to his daughter, and also stating In Brooklyn Emil Pedino, a barber, aged thirtysix, hung himself in his shop. Business troubles

## were the cause. Earthquake in California.

San Francisco, Cal., July 13.—The territory around Los Olivos, San Luis, Obispo county, has been shaken by earthquakes during the last few days. On Sunday there were six distinct shocks. The second shock occurred on Thursday morring. The people are becoming alarmed.

Fatal Accident in a Shooting Gallery. RICHMOND, Va., July 13.-Charles Runge eighteen years old, was shot and instantly killed to-night by Charles H. Ferguson. The latter was practicing in a shooting gallery, and the ball

went through a crack, striking Runge in the heart. Ferguson was arrested. For the complexion use Ayer's Sarsapa-rilla. It brings blooming health to wan NEW WHEAT DISEASE.

An English Importation of Fungoid Growth That Has Made Its Appearance in Indiana.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. LAFAYETTE, Ind., July 13 .- Horace E. Stockbridge, Ph. D., director of the government agricultural experiment station for Indiana, located at Purdue University, has been investigating a new wheat disease that has appeared in certain sections of the State, particularly in Lagrange county, and which is seriously affecting the wheat crop over considerable areas. The damage likely to be wrought by it and the rareness with which it occurs in this country seem to render a brief description of the infection of importance to the agri cultural community of the State. The disease is a fungoid growth, known as "bunt" or "stinking smut" on account its strong and disagreeable odor. It is rarely found in America, but is not uncommon in England. The wheat head, on ripening, may possess a very nearly normal appearance, but on shelling, the grains are found to be filled with a black, greasy powder, the result of the growth of the fungus, beginning with the very germi-nation of the seed and keeping pace with the growth of the plant. Its action is no more harmful than that of common smut, but its odor renders it more objectionable. Where not very abundant, it may be separated from the good grain either by fanning or by washing. It is very apt to occur so abundantly in a field, however, as to render the en-tire crop well nigh worthless. It does not spread in the field, but the germs producing it adhere to the grain, and are thus sown with the seed. Seed-wheat may be freed from the spores by being soaked in a solu-tion of blue vitriol (sulphate of copper) for thirty-six hours (four ounces of the sulphate to one gallon of water.

The presence of this disease has but recently been noticed within our State, but the Indiana agricultural experiment station has undertaken a thorough study and investigation of the subject. Toward this end Mr. Stockbridge asks for any information or facts pertaining to the disease or its

#### FINANCIALLY SOUND.

Money as Stated by His Political Enemies.

NEW YORK, July 13 .- Stories which have been widely published over the country in reference to the financial embarrassments of Senator W. D. Washburn, of Minnesota, are made the subject of an authoritative statement here to-day by Thos. Lowry, of Minneapolis, who has been his business associate. Senator Washburn sailed for Europe on Wednesday before the publication of the stories affecting his credit.

Answering an inquiry about the alleged sale of Senator Washburn's house to him for \$40,000, which the Senator was said to require to pay interest on his debts. Mr. Lowry said: "There is no truth whatever in the statement. Senator Washburn's house is not deeded to me and never has been. I never loaned him \$40,000 to pay interest on his loans, and never was advised that he was in need of that amount for such a purpose. As to buying the Senator's house, I can frankly say that it is about all I can do to support the one I now live in." "What is there about Senator Wash-

burn's trouble?" "It has all passed. A few months ago he was somewhat embarrassed, owing to the fact that his time was occupied in politics instead of paying close attention to his various business interests. He, however, promptly converted securities which he had in hand and paid all maturing obligations. Senator Washburn is financially sound, and his moral and personal integrity is such that he would sacrifice the last dollar he possessed, including his home stead and all personal possessions, to pay one hundred cents on the dollar. This he would do, too, despite the efforts of political enemies to bring about a destruction of his credit, which has been attempted by the publication of these stories after he had sailed for Europe and when he could not reply to them."

# Attempted Lynching at Fairville.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal Marion, Ind., July 13.-Last night, at Fair rille, ten miles northeast of here, a mob of fifty men made an unsuccessful effort to lynch Frank Brooks, a young man twenty-seven years old Brooks's offense was the betrayal of Miss Clara Palmer, the fifteen-year-old daughter of a widow, the downfall of his victim being accomplished by the use of drugs. Miss Palmer died of puerperal convulsions and was buried last Thursday. The mob that went after young Brooks last night was composed of the best farmers of Wells and Blackford counties. They made no concealment of their identity or mission. When they rode into town Brooks heard of their coming and went into hiding, and though they searched for him until 2 o'clock this morning, they were unable to find him. When they rode out of town they left notice to Brooks to leave town inside of twentyfour hours or they would return and string him up. Brooks reached here this morning on his vay West, a badly frightened man.

Troubles of a Dead Millionaire's Daughter. NEW YORK, July 13 .- Alice S. McCrae, the beautiful daughter of the Chicago millionaire, Amos Snell, who was assassinated some two years ago, is in trouble. Although but a little over twenty years old clouds have gathered thick and fast around her. A few years ago she married a wealthy Chicagoan named McCrae. But her husband proved unworthy, and his conduct compelled her to secure a divorce. With name untarnished she came to New York with her children a year ago. She boarded at the Cambridge Hotel on Fifth avenue until last February. A month ago she was sued for \$1,-000, which it was alleged had been lent her by the proprietor of the hotel, Lorenzo Reich. Mrs. McCrae says she got \$1,000 from Mr. Reich and gave him a draft on her brother-in-law in Chicago. He was not at home when the draft reached there and it was returned. She then gave Mr. Reich an order on her own account in Chicago, but in a few days' he said it was not honored. Mrs. McCrae intends going on the stage. She has been studying carefully, but nothing of a definite character had been decided

Fatal Railway Collision.

OIL CITY, Pa., July 13 .- This afternoon, about o'clock, a collision occurred on the Western New York & Philadelphia railway, on a sharp ourve near Petroleum Centre, about seven mile from this city. Master mechanic Newman, of that company, with engineer Stone, were trying the speed of a new engine, when they suddenly collided with a freight coming south. Brakeman Martin Timlin, of the freight, was caught be-tween a flat-car and a tank, and was horribly mangled, dying in a few minutes. He lived in Albany, N. Y., and was the only support of a widowed mother, his father having been killed in a railroad accident, recently. Engineer Stone of the single engine, had his nose severed from his face by being dashed through the cab window. Master mechanic Newman had his hand badly mangled. Engineer Van Dresser and his fireman were both painfully, but not seriously injured. Both engines and several cars were

A Strange and Fatal Accident.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. WABASH, Ind., July 13 .- A strange and fatal accident befel Alex. Kendall, a farmer of Pawpaw township, this morning. Mr. Kendall, who has for some time been subject to epileptic fits, was engaged in thining out his corn this forenoon. when he felt one of his attacks coming over him. The unfortunate man started for his home, and had reached the gate when he fell over. his neck lodging between two pickets on the fence. Kendall was perfectly helpless, and writhed in agony. His mother rushed out, but was unable to lift her son from his position, and he strangled to death before her eyes. Kendall was thirty-five years old and unmarried. He resided with his mother, Deceased was well known and very highly re-

Georgia Growing Moral in Little Matters. ATLANTA, Ga., July 13 .- Atlanta's scheme for grand ball dedicating the new Capitol will orobably fall through. Arrangements were being made for a big affair on Aug. 8, the Mayor, Governor and all the leading citizens being on the different committees. To-day a resolution was introduced in the Senate tendering the Capitol to the committees for the reception. As soon as introduced a country member moved, as an amendment, the proviso that no dancing be allowed. A canvass of the Senate shows that this will be adopted. This means, of course, that there will be no dedication, as the ball was to have been the principal feature.

Determined to See the Hanging. MEMPHIS. Tenn., July 13. - Charles Wirt, colored, was hanged to-day at Somerville, Fayette county, Tennessee, for the murder of Evaline Hester on the 24th of December last. Wirt was jealous of the woman, and meeting her in the company of a rival he shot her dead. The scaffold was erected in a creek bottom near the town, which, owing to heavy rains, was nearly a foot deep in water. The crowd stood in the water for hours, and pressed so close that a linest chicels in the department, and, although a Democrat, would probably have held his postion with this administration.

The President has appointed Alfonso Hart, of Ohio, to be Solicitor of Internal Revenue.

military company with fixed bayonets was employed to keep them back. Wirt's neck was broken by the fall.

### THE NATIONAL CAPITAL.

Congress Failed to Provide Money for Protecting the Salmon Fisheries of Alaska. Washington, July 13 .- The Secretary of the Treasury has received a letter from the collector of customs at Sitka, Alaska, in regard to the salmon fisheries of that Territory, in which he suggests that inasmuch as there are now over forty fishing and canning corporations actively engaged in catching and preparing salmon for market, distributed over a large area, that he be authorized to visit such portions of the Territory to see that the laws for the protection of these fisheries are properly enforced. He has been informed, in reply that his request cannot be granted, because of the lack of appropriation out of which his expenses would be paid. It seems that while Congress passed the act for the protection of the salmon tisheries of Alaska, and to prevent the unauthorized killing of fur-bearing animals in Alaska waters, it made no appropriation for carrying out such objects, no provision being made even for the publication of the President's proclamation on the subject, as prescribed by the act.

Indiana Pensions. Pensions have been granted to the following-

named Indianians: Original Invalid-Daniel Hallauer, William Barley, William A. Sherward, Frank F. Martin; John H. Erinkman, Halvin B. Edwards, Absalom Jordan (deceased), Henry Prior, Tilghman Paul, John M. Monfort, John A. Smith, Wm. O'Neal, James Davy, Henderson C. Hoster, Stephen Harter, Peter Halfman, James Baker, Franklin H. Davis, George W. Beck, Joseph A. Leonard, Marion D. Smith, Elizar C. Newton, Thomas H. Hale, William Merritt, William Rudolph, George T. Duckworth, George W. Biddle, John A. Essington, Alex. P. White, Levi J. Johnson, Oliver Brenton, John T. Culler, John Simpson. Increase—John Howard, Anderson Y. Neff, Ervin Foreman, John Lindville, Henry Bratz, Daniel Starrett, Marion Carr, Jeremiah S. Mo-

Reissue-John R. Bennett, Harvey King, Richard S. H. Nation Reissue and Increase-Harvey T. Rue, Alexander Young, George B. Burch, Elias Walters. Original Widows, etc.—Rebecca, widow of Absalom Jordan; Charles, father of Matthew C. Hammond; Frasure, father of Daniel A. McRae; Jane, mother of John Henderson.

Why Lower Telegraph Tolls Were Asked. WASHINGTON, July 13.-The Postmaster-general gives out the following cencerning the report that he made an order reducing the rate on government telegraph from 1 cent to 1 mill per word. He says that he had suggested this rate and notified the telegraph companies to this effect. To some of the companies, objecting to the rate, he had written a letter which stated, among other things: "I desire to say that the rate proposed was fixed upon information furnished to this department that your company has been making rates to various large corporations that are, in some instances, as low as the figure now proposed for the government service. With the notice of this fact, I would not be justified in making for the government a new contract at higher rates than were charged other patrons especially so in view of the privileges and bene-fits extended to your company by acts of Congress. I submit to your own sense of right that the government, under existing conditions, is entitled to the minimum rates."

Naval Officers Placed on Waiting Orders. WASHINGTON, July 13.-Passed Assistant Engineer W. A. Windsor has been ordered to examination for promotion. Capt. N. H. Farquahr has been detatched from the command of the Trenton on the 7th inst., and placed on waiting orders. Lieuts. R. M. Brown, S. L. Graham, L. L. Reamy and W. H. Allen and Passed Assistant Engineer Herschel Main were detatched from the Trenton on the 7th inst., and placed on waiting orders. Pay Inspector A. J. Clark, from the Trenton; was ordered to settle accounts and await orders. Lieuts. B. C. Wilson and J. W. Carling, Ensign Charles Ripley and Surgeon H. P. Harvey were detached from the Vandalia and placed on waiting orders.

These officers were attached to the vessels lost at Samoa, and although their ships have for nonths been under sea, their connection has been technically continued, and their full sea pay has gone on. The Secretary decided on July 7 as the date upon which these wrecked vessels are to be considered as having gone out of com-

Work of Agricultural Experiment Stations. Washington, July 13 .- Among the recent publications issued by the Department of Agriculture is a sixteen-page pamphlet (farmers' bulletin No. 1), emanating from the office of the experiment stations of this department, Prof. W. O. Atwater, director, which tells what the experiment stations are, what they do and how they do it. From this bulletin it is learned that in the magnitude of this scientific work undertaken for the benefit of the farmers, the United States outstrips any other nation in the world, and that although this line of scientific work was begun in this country only fourteen years ago, many of the stations have already saved to the farmers more than the cost of the maintenance by the results of their investigations in a single line of work. A very large edition of this bulletin has been issued in anticipation of wide-spread demand for the valuable information thus compressed into a few pages.

Redemption of Mutilated Greenbacks. WASHINGTON, July 13. - The United States Treasurer has ordered that in the future the redemption of legal-tender notes by the Treasury Department shall be made on the basis of the three-fifths rule in vogue in the redemption of national bank notes. Heretofore the former were redeemed on the basis of the tenths, that is, a mutilated note was redeemed at a value proportionate to the part presented, counting in tenths. Under the three-fifths rule, if that part of a note is presented, it is redeemed at its full face value, but if less than three-tifths is handed in nothing is paid unless an attidavit is filed, together with evidence to support the claim, that the missing portion of the note has been destroyed. Thus, under this rule, the person presenting the note gets all or nothing, instead of a proportionate number of tenths of the full value.

Ought to Ship in American Vessels. WASHINGTON, July 13 .- Minister Ryan recently reported to the State Department that there was much dissatisfaction in Mexico relative to the practice of assessing goods arriving at American ports on Mexican vessels at the rate of 10 per cent. in excess of the regular duties. The minister's letter was referred to the Treasury Department, and the State Department has just received an answer, which states that the additional duty of 10 per cent. is always assessed on goods arriving in the country on foreign vessels, unless the country to which the vessels belong have a treaty stipulation with the United States covering this point. Goods imported on United States vessels are exempt from he additional duty.

Senator Manderson and the Supreme Bench. Special to the Indianapolis Journal WASHINGTON, July 13.-A letter received here

from Nebraska last night contains some interesting and sensational information. It comes from an intimate friend of Congressman Dorsey, and a man who is known to be very closely in his confidence, which gives it more credence than otherwise. The intimation is that the vacancy on the United States Supreme Bench may be filled by the appointment of Senator Manderson, and that Mr. Dorsey will be a candidate for the United States Senate

Registers and Receivers to Be Removed. Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

WASHINGTON, July 13 .- It is announced at the Interior Department that no more special agents of the Land Office will be appointed at present, but that, as announced in these dispatches last night, there will be a large number of changes among the registers and recervers of the Land Office within the next two weeks. There are 212 on this list, and only about sixty changes have been made since the 1st of March. The other hold-overs are all Democrats. There are serious charges pending against some

Bond Purchases to Date.

WASHINGTON, July 13 .- The following is a statement of bonds purchased from Aug. 3 to date: Fours-Amount purchased, \$61.721,350; cost \$79,097,968; cost at maturity, \$108,754,516; saving, \$29,656,548. Four-and-a-halfs—Amount purchased, \$113,363,250; cost, \$122,692,399; cost at maturity, \$128,896,323; saving, \$6,203, 924. Total amount purchased, \$175,084,600; cost, \$201,790,367; cost at maturity, \$237,650,-839; saving, \$35,660.472.

General Notes. Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

Washington, July 13 .- Three fourth-class In ana postmasters were appointed to-day-Castleton, Marion county, W. T. Anderson, vice W. F. Wadsworth, removed; Nanna, LaPorte county, W. S. Walburn, vice Thomas L. Patrick, resigned The bond offerings at the Treasury aggregated \$6,700 to-day, and \$1,700 four-and-a-halfs were offered and accepted at \$1.067s, and \$5,000 fours, offered at \$1.28%, were rejected.

Major Herman Krabe, chief of the mail department of the Treasury Department, has ten-dered his resignation, to take effect on the 21st inst., for the purpose of engaging in private business in Texas. Mr. Krabe was one of the most efficient officers in the department, and,

A SENSATIONAL PASTOR.

He Libels the Women of an Iowa Town and Is Compelled to Flee from Their Wrath.

DAVENPORT, July 13 .- Le Claire is a river town twelve miles north of here, noted for the number of steamboat and raftmen who live and congregate there. It is agitated nowas it has never been before by a sweeping charge made by the Presbyterian minister from the pulpit last Sunday night to the effect that a virtuous woman between sixteen and twenty-five years of age could not be found in the place. The pastor is known as Rev. Monroe Drew, and he is a young man. He came from Chicago four months ago, and has been preaching to growing congregations. He was sensational in his way of putting gospel truths, and many were drawn to his services out of curiosity. Last Sunday he was particularly severe, saying that immorality had captured the town. He stated in all seriousness that he had been told that a woman of honor did not live in Le Claire. At the end of the service the young preacher was surrounded by his congregation, who made violent protests at such unbecoming lau-The next day he was waited upon by thirty

young ladies and public retraction de-manded. Mr. Drew offered to take back his words privately and apologize to his callers, but they would have none of it. The next step was the calling of a mass-meeting, which was held last night in a large hall in the town. More than four hundred indignant women and men were invited to meet the minister, but a report from Port Byron says that he left the State and went to Illinois, fearing personal injury. The meeting was organized by calling a justice of the peace, R. A. Edwards, one of the oldest citizens, to the chair, and the selection of Miss Belle Horton as secretary. Some very plain words of denuncia-tion were indulged in, and later a committee, composed of two men and three women, all married, were appointed to prepare a

After deliberation the report was submit-ted. It expressed indignation at the statement made from the pulpit, and asserts confidence in the character of the young ladies of the place. It demands of the offi-cers of the church the immediate discharge of the Rev. Dr. Drew, and avows public contempt for the outrageous insult to the community. All Presbyterian churches are warned not to have anything to do with the Rev. Mr. Drew. Lawyers have been consulted with the view of instituting suits for slander. Mutterings of tar and feathers are often heard, and some of the young ladies declare that they will not let the matter drop until a public retraction is made, coupled with an apology and a promise never to re-enter the pulpit again.

## INDIGNATION AT JOHNSTOWN.

Gov. Beaver's Relief Management Denounced

at a Meeting of Citizens. JOHNSTOWN, Pa., July 13.—The indignation meeting, this afternoon, was largely attended. Speeches were made by Col Linton, W. H. Rose, C. L. Dick, Rev. D. J. Beale, Hon. J. U. Rose, B. Horrell, A. J. Hawes and others, all denouncing the management of affairs under Governor Beaver's commission. Captain Kuhn, of the commissary department, stated that it cost more than 25 per cent. of the value of the goods to get them distributed under the methods in vogue. The following resolutions were unanimously adopted.

Resolved. That the citizens of Johnstown and vicinity respectfully, yet earnestly, request that the fund contributed for the relief of the flood sufferers in the Conemaugh valley be as speedily as possible distributed in money to the people and that all purchases, contracts and expenses to be paid for out of this fund immediately cease. Resolved, That any hoarding up of this fund to meet problematical wants will materially diminish its usefulness and only result in delaying to a more distant time the restoration of homes, of business, of industry and of confidence. I will do more good in the hands of the people now than at any time hereafter. Resolved. That we repudiate as insulting to the manhood and intelligence of our citizens

(now that the avenues of trade are opened up) the imputations that they cannot and will not wisely and economically disburse any funds placed in their hands, and because of this imputation the arrogant assumption that guardians must supervise our expenditures, control our disbursements, purchase our supplies and make Resolved, That of the statements imputed to

his Excellency, Governor Beaver, that \$1,500, 000 has already been expended in Johnstown and vicinity has no foundation; in fact it is the strongest possible argument that expending re-lief funds in contracting for buildings, quarter-master and commissary supplies, is not a wise, udicious or economical way of disbursing such funds when the ordinary sources of supply are opened up. Only by gross extravagance and carelessness could such a sum have been used here and the people have received no adequate return for the expenditure of so large an amount Resolved, that the disbursement of the fund

subscribed for relief directly to the sufferers will stimulate business, will provide work for our builders, and trade for our merchants will provide labor for our artisans, and will tend to restore confidence in the community, and will thus directly and indirectly help those for whom the fund was intended, while any other course at this day savors of jobs, redounds to the benefit of none except contractors and business men having no interest in this community, and unustly discriminates against our own citizens. Resolved, that it is unfair and unjust to exact an oath as to private income and relief before

the bounteous charity of our countrymen can be istributed to its beneaclaries. Resolved, that we hereby appeal to the custo-dians of funds at Philadelphia, New York, Pitts-

burg and other localities, to transmit the funds in their hands intended for Conemaugh valley sufferers direct, to our local financec ommittee to be distributed by this committee immediately, in cash, upon the requisition of the board of inquiry, upon such fair and equitable basis as may be adopted, and we invite the cooperation of such custodians in making such Resolved, that our citizens have entire confi-

dence in the good faith, skill and judgment of the board of inquiry appointed at a citizens' meeting, and the local board which they called to their assistance; and this meeting cannot look with favor on any attempt of strangers to super vise their work, perhaps reverse their plans, and by exacting extrajudicial oaths and inquisitional quiries as to income and other relief, reflect on the proceedings of the board, and, as we fear, delay for an indefinite period the distribution of that portion of the fund graciously allowed for present disbursement.

Resolved, That this meeting express its pro found gratitude to the many thousands of people in our own and other lands, who have so spontaneously and generously contributed to the relief of our people, and only now venture on this expression of opinion because those here assembled believe they are in this way expressing the sentiments of the generous donors of so boun teous a fund, as they are sure they express those of the beneficiaries.

The two companies of militia left for home to-night. Much satisfactory progress with the work has been made during the

Recovery of Mrs. Swineford's Body. JOHNSTOWN, Pa., July 13 .- The body of Mrs. Mary A. Swineford, of St. Louis, Mo., was recovered in the drift above the bridge to-day. When found, her gold watch was sticking fast to her breast without being held by any guard or chain. The body was one of the best preserved found here for a long time, the features being almost perfect. The Mrs. Swineford found was the mother-in-law of young Mrs. Swineford, whose brother, Mr. Bischoff, has been here for a month past hunting for the bodies of his sister and her mother-in-law. Both ladies were pas-sengers on the ill-fated day express. Since his search has been partially rewarded, Mr. Bischoff expresses his determination to remain until he finds his sister.

The Persian Minister's Diplomatic Rudeness. Special to the Indianapolis Journal. WASHINGTON, July 13 .- The Persian minister,

who complained so much about the rudeness of the people of the United States, has not set a very good example himself, but has been guilty of violating the very first rule of diplo. matic and social etiquette by leaving Washing-ton without taking leave of the President and Secretary of State. He said, in a newspaper interview the other day, that he should not call upon either of them again, but nobody supposed that he would be so rude. He has not even presented his letter of recall, and, to all official intents and purposes, he is still the Persian minis-ter to the United States, although he sailed in a French steamer to-day for Havre.

Monument to Roscoe Conkling Completed. UTICA, N. Y., July 13. - The monument erected at the grave of Roseoe Conkling, in Forest Hill Cemetery, this city, was completed to-day, It stands on the family plot, just north of the monnment to Horatio Se

of Quincy granite, and is in the form of a sar-

cophagus.

Knightstown Accidents. Special to the Indianapolts Journal. KNIGHTSTOWN, July 13 .- The barn of Carl Foust, two miles south of this place, was struck by lightning last night and destroyed, together I Hall's Hair Renewer.

with contents, including a threshing machine and two horses. No insurance.

Charles Bundy, a house and sign painter, fell with a scaffold a distance of thirty feet, this afternoon, and was fataliy injured.

About to Go to the Wall.

A TRUST WEAKENING. Belief that the Strawboard Combination Is

NEW YORK, July 13.-It is reported among the paper-box manufacturers that the Strawboard Trust, one of the strongest concerns in the country, has given up the fight, and the pool will be broken in a few days. This is partly confirmed by the decline of \$1 per ton in the past week in the price of strawboards, which enter so largely into the manufacture of paper boxes. About five years ago the owners of all the strawboard mills in the country organized a pool to control the price, and so successful were they in their operations, that \$30 a ton was asked for the manufactured article. This outrageous price was resisted by the paperbox manufacturers, but no compromise could be secured, and the Strawboard Trust organized a still closer concern this last spring. The plan in-cluded all the small mills in the country, and when this arrangement went into ef fect on April 1 the price was further advanced until it reached \$45 a ton. Several meetings of the paper-box manufacturers were held, at which it was resolved to withhold purchases. They were supported in their position by the dull trade and large surplus stock in the warehouses. It was not long before a large mill-owner in New York State offered to make a concession, and the rumored cut was at once communicated to the other members of the trust. A general shading in prices took place, and strawboards were offered in every direction at \$33 per ton. It was even reported, yesterday, that as low as \$32 per ton would be accepted. The paper-box manufacturers believe they have gained the day, and that the Strawboard Trust will soon be a thing of the past.

Selling Out to English Capitalists. ROCHESTER, N. Y., July 13.-It is stated here this afternoon that H. H. Warner & Co., are negotiating for the sale of their vast proprietary medicine business to English capitalists. This will be, if consummated, a notable transaction, including as it will the immense buildings and business of the house at this point, together with the branches now in operation in London, Frankfort, Melbourne, Australia; Toronto, Ont., Sydney, N. S. W.; Presburg, Hungary and others. The purchase price is said to be \$5,000,000. Mr. Warner will neither deny nor affirm the story, but there is every evidence that this great business will soon be in English hands. The control, however, will doubtless remain with Mr. Warner. CLEVELAND, July 13.-The Otis Iron and Steel Company, the greatest manufacturing concern of the kind in Cleveland, has been sold to an English syndicate for \$4,500,000. Negotiations leading up to the sale have been going on for several months and have just been completed. The sale was made through President Charles A. Otis, and Treasurer Thomas Jopling, who went to London last Feburary and returned with representatives of the English capitalists, who will float the securities of the new company on

# will for the present be conducted by the old

the English market. The affairs of the company

RAILWAY NEWS.

The McCook Trust Circular Merely a Feeler

-- A New Scheme Proposed, NEW YORK, July 13.—Railroad officials, bankers and railroad lawyers are agreed that there is no likelihood of even an attempt being made to form a railway trust as set forth in the McCook circular. The attorney for one of the largest railway companies having offices in this city, said: "The injunction obtained against the Oregon Transcontinental Company preventing it from voting its controlling stock at the Oregon Navigation election a month ago, following the decision refusing to allow the East Tennessee company to vote its Memphis & Charleston stock, killed all hopes of a railroad trust ever being

Railway officials generally regard the circular as a confession of Pierrepont Morgan's private counsel that he does not ex-pect the Interstate Railway Association to exist over the present year, and the circular was issued in order to call out new plans, using the old territoral trust scheme

simply as a feeler. It is intimated that some steps are necessary to remove the Chicago & Alten and Burlington & Northern roads from the positions now occupied, and that a proposition has been made to purchase the stock of both companies and then operate them by union committees. Another scheme proposed is to follow out the plan under which the Cleveland, Columbus, Cincinnati & Indianapolis, the Cincinnati, Indianapolis, St. Louis & Chicago and the Cairo & Vincennes roads were consolidated, and form the railways into four great systems, the stocks of the old companies being cancelled and their individuality destroyed.

Failed to Observe a State Statute. SHELBYVILLE, Ind., July 13.-The State is plaintiff in a suit filed in court here vesterday against the Cleveland, Cincinnati, Chicago & St Louis railway, formerly the Big Four, demanding a forfeiture from the company of \$20,000 for failure to observe a statute enacted last year, and for failure to put up bulletin boards at each telegraph station on which the arrival and departure of all trains must be daily bulletined. A big legal fight is looked for in the September term of court. Similar suits will be instituted against the Pennsylvania Company, as lessees of the Jeffersonville, Madison & Indianapolis.

The Wabash Disturbing Passenger Rates. CHICAGO, July 13.-The Wabash Western is causing trouble in passenger rates. It has been selling through tickets from St. Louis to New York, via Chicago, at a rate low enough to enable scalpers to reap a rich harvest out of the traffic. The through rate made by the Wabash was about \$21.50. This gave a chance for scalping, both the coupons reading from St. Louis to Chi-cago, and from Chicago to New York, and the offices of ticket scalpers at St. Louis and Chicago are alleged to be filled with tickets of this issue. At a meeting of the passenger department of the Central Traffic Association, yesterday, a resolution was adopted notifying the Wabash that it must stop its unfair work, and after MonGay next none of the Central Traffic roads will honor its unfair tickets sold by way of Chicago.

Thomas D. Messler Dying from Sunstroke. PITTSBURG, July 13 .-- Thomas D. Messler, third vice-president and comptroller of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, was prostrated by the heat this afternoon, and is lying at his office at the point of death. Mr. Messler was in his usual good health when he came to his office this morning, and was suddenly stricken while at his desk. His physicians fear the worst.

# CONFLICT WITH STRIKERS.

Deputy Sheriffs Charge a Body of Miners and Wound Two of Their Number. Braceville, Ill., July 13 .- About two

hundred striking miners went from Braidwood, Eureka and this place to Godley this morning for the purpose of persuading their brethren there to quit work. They were met by the sheriff and twenty-five deputies, together with six Pinkerton men. The sheriff's warnings were answered with taunts and jeers. Finally he fired his revolver twice, as he supposed, in the air. and ordered his men to charge and use the butts of their pistols as clubs. The crowd then ran and dispersed. Dan Lillis, a striker, received a very severe scalp wound from a pistol ball, and another striker named Lawless was also shot near the ear.

Settling the Homestead Mill Troubles, PITTSBURG, July 13.-The great strike at the Homestead steel-works of Carnegie, Phipps & Co. is practically over, and quiet will reign at once through the thriving town. The conference between the Amalgamated officials and the firm. arranged by Sheriff McCandless, was in session from 3 o'clock this afternoon until after 11 o'clock to-night, and when it adjourned it was officially announced that as a result of the conference certain essential points had been agreed to, but other matters of importance remained for discussion. Another meeting will be held on Monday. This is regarded as a virtual settlement of the trouble, and it is expected the immense

plant wiff soon be in full operation. The good news was the occasion of general rejoicing in this vicinity, and especially at Homestead. All saloons were closed there this evening at 6 o'clock, and everything was extremely quiet.

THE itching of the scalp, falling of the hair, resulting in baldness, are often caused by dandruff, which may be cured by using

## AN AGED DOCTOR'S CRIME.

He Becomes Jealous of His Young Wife, Attempts to Kill Her and Ends His Own Life.

Boston, July 13 .- This afternoon Dr. W. B. White, a medical electrician seventyfive years of age, residing at No. 4 Jefferson place, shot his wife Ellen, an attractive young woman about twenty-five years of age, and then committed suicide. Dr. White had been married twice. By his first wife he had soveral children, who are all grown up and doing well. Some two years ago his first wife died, and he married his present wife, who was then, it is said, a ballet dancer and a very pretty girl. Of late the couple have not lived happily together, the Doctor becoming imbued with the idea that his wife loved some other man. While both were eating dinner today the Doctor got up from the table with the exclamation: "Ella, you don't love me." She made no reply, and he left the

After Mrs. White had finished her dinner. she went up to her room on the second floor, and began to change her apparel. Only a few minutes had elapsed when the servant girl heard a pistol shot, closely followed by another. Going up stairs, she saw Mrs. White lying on the floor with blood flowing from a wound in her right temple. Dr. White himself was lying on the lounge dead, with a wound in his right ear. In his left hand a revolver was clutched. The girl, greatly terrified, rushed screaming down stairs and out on the street. Several physicians soon arrived. They are of opinion that Dr. White was instantly killed. His wife will probably recover. The house where the tragedy ocbeen occupied by him for twenty-five years. He was a very quiet and gentle-manly man and was very well liked by the neighbors.

#### THE G. A. R. ENCAMPMENT.

General Warner Asks Members to Attend 1

Despite the Action of the Railroads. KANSAS CITY, July 13,-Commander-in-Chief Warner has issued a general circular to all G. A. R. posts urging the members to attend the National Encampment, despite the refusal of the railroads to grant the one-cent-a-mile rate. It is the general belief at General Warner's headquarters here that the attendance will be quite as large as if the despute with the railroads had never occurred

Commander Travis and the Railroads.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. CRAWFORDSVILLE, Ind., July 13 .- The following is an extract from a letter, sent this morning by Department Commander Travis to Col. C. R. Pier, general secretary of the National Encampment, at Milwaukee, in regard to the late order requesting comrades to remain at home:

I assure you, comrade, no one regrets the action of the railroads more than I do. The action taken by the eight commanders was simply the performance of a duty. I do sincerely feel that the honor of our order demands such action, and I know that the sentiments of the comrades throughout the land harmonize with our action. We do not hold your committee, nor the city of Milwaukee, to blame. If your people feel ag-grieved let them know that the Grand Army of the Republic have the greater reason to be aggrieved. The discrimination made by the railroads is not against Milwaukee, but against the Grand Army of the Republic. It is insulting to the order, and no comrade can, with selfrespect, or with the good of the order at heart, sustain the railroads in their action, by patronizing them. The comrade who purchases a ticket, unless his duty as a member of the National Encampment compels him to do so, to attend that encampment, surrenders his honor as a man and as a comrade to the wealthy corporations which have marked him for imposition, and have discriminated against him, in that they charge him more to ride upon their conveyances than they charge any other person, simply because he is a veteran soldier. I say that no comrade can preserve his self-respect and submit to such treatment.

## TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

The warrant for Burke's extradition will not be ssued for fifteen days from the date of his com-

Among the passengers of the steamer Servia. which sailed yesterday for Liverpool, were Mrs. Langtry and Colonel North, the "Nitrate King." Frank Tirena, a well-known sport and gambler of Chicago, committed suicide Friday night in a hotel by taking poison. He had been in hard luck of late and very despondent.

Thomas Jefferson (colored) was hanged in the corridor of the Memphis jail at 1:23 o'clock yesterday. His neck was not broken by the fall, and he strangled to death in eighteen minutes. Joseph Webber, a well-known citizen of Chica-

go, aged forty-seven years, committed suicide at

his residence Friday night by shooting. He is supposed to have been temporarily insane The granite for the new congressional library building, at Washington, will be cut at Concord, N. H. It is estimated that it will require eight hundred to one thousand men four years to com-

Mrs. Eberhardt, an aged lady residing near Streator, Ill., was instantly killed on Friday evening by lightning, and Mrs. Wm. Williams, living in that city, was so severely injured she

The hot weather in New York has made the death rate for the past week the heaviest of the year, aggregating 1,187 against 956 for the previous year. Almost the entire increase was in children under five years. Gordon Winslow, fifty-one years old, a retired

army officer with the rank of captain, was acting wildly on the streets of New York yesterday. The heat had unbalanced his mind, and he was sent to a hospital for treatment. His home is in Harrin Rein, a Russian boy of seven years, attempted to steal a piece of ice from a wagon at New York, yesterday, and being surprised by the driver, fell against the tongs hanging from

the scales. The tongs closed upon him and cub his juglar vein, causing him to bleed to death. A deal was consummated yesterday whereby Mr. P. C. Boyle, of the Oil City Derrick, purchases from Richard Smith the Toledo Commercial. The consideration is said to be \$35,500. Charles B. Harrison, of Oil City, will be manage ing editor, and the new management takes con-

trol to-day. The lone highwayman is still at work near Red Bluff, Cal. Yesterday he attempted to rob the stage to Champion Hill. The driver had \$800 in his possession and refused to stop, whereupon the robber tried to shoot him, but only succeeded in wounding one of the horses. The passengers were unarmed.

# A Rainy Day at Deer Park.

DEER PARK, Md., July 13 .- Rain has fallen at intervals nearly all day. The President has remained in his cottage, but this afternoon the family, accompanied by Senator Davis and Mr. Elkins, drove out toward Oakland. It is believed the President will not return to Washington on Wednesday, as expected, but will remain until the first of the following week. It is said he will make a number of appointments from this place. Secretary Windom and Private Secretary Halford will return to Washington on Tuesday. The day has been quietly spent.

General Store Robbed.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. Columbus, Ind., July 13 .- The general store, of W. H. Buxton, at Elizabethtown, this county, was robbed last night of a considerable quantity of goods. The thieves were traced to this city, and their arrest will probably take place soon, as their identity is known to the officers.

Deputy Postmaster Short.

WATERTOWN, N. Y., July 13 .- Postoffice Inspector Batchelor has inspected the postoffice in this city, and discovered a shortage of over \$600 in Deputy Postmaster Chas. F. Quencer's accounts. To-day Quencer voluntarily disclosed further small deficiencies. His bondsmen have paid the deficiency and Quencer has given bonds to appear in the United States Court in September.

Alleged Colored Black-Mailer, Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

colored constable, was arrested here to-day for black.mailing. Weaver's practice was to arrest people on trival charges, and release them on the payment of from \$2 to \$5. He was bound over in the sum of \$500. Alleged to Have Carried off \$22,000. PALMER, Mass., July 13 .- J. H. Bradley, who

Marion, Ind., July 13 .- James N. Weaver,

has been employed here as manager of the branch office of Tibbetts & Co., stock-brokers, of Boston, left town yesterday, and one of the firm states he has failed to turn over \$22,000 of the firm's money.

Philadelphia Press. Prince Joachim Murat, who is to marry Miss Gwendoline Caldwell, 18 something of an American himself, having been born in New Jersey. He is fifty-five years old, a widower and a terrible spendthrift. If his future wife wishes to keep her little fort-une of two and a half millions she will do well to put it where he cannot get hold of it before she marries him.

A Prince and a Spendthrift.